

# Seminole County Mosquito Control Regular Meeting of the Advisory Board

Bldg 149 Bush Loop, 5-Points Sanford, Florida 32773 March 13, 2008 10:00 AM

**MINUTES** 



Call to Order 10:05 a.m. by Horvath

# 1) Roll Call / Report

#### Present:

Mike Insley, City of Altamonte Springs

Asked if we had inspected Lake Lotus Park, which is closed on Mondays and Tuesdays. Horvath stated that the park will be inspected within a week.

Steve Spencer, City of Casselberry No report.

David Dovan, City of Lake Mary

Has not received any calls or complaints. He has a surplus fogger that he will deliver soon.

Alan Hill, City of Winter Springs No report

Vincent Peluso, City of Oviedo

Inquired as to whether or not chemicals has been picked up from his City (Peluso donated some chemicals), and if GIS mapping had been provided. Horvath stated that he has tried to contact Pat with Oviedo with no response in regards to the chemicals. Horvath will contact Peluso re: chemicals in near future. All maps from the City of Oviedo have been received; none are historically treated sources.

Edward Horvath, Mosquito Control Program Manager

Stated that SCMC has treated approx. 200 acres and inspected everything on all City provided lists; the Team Leaders are in the process of re-inspecting the areas now. We will be providing maps to the Cities, as well as copies of the reports that we are providing to the State. Horvath provided samples of the door hangers that are being used. Areas that receive a door hanger will be re-inspected within 30 days. Peluso asked if the Cities could use the door hanger. (Horvath said yes, but later repealed that per the attached email.) Horvath stated that the Health Department has interest in the Program due to mosquitoes being vectors of disease.

# Also Present:

Karl Henry, Environmental Health Manager, Seminole County Health Department

Stated that the Health Department will remain active on this Board and will back the Mosquito Control Program in anyway possible. Mosquito Control is essential in preventing vector borne disease in the County.

Shari Holt, Program Specialist, SCMC No report

Owen Reagan, P.E., Public Works, Roads and Stormwater

Stated that the Cities and County should work together when there are questions regarding disease control

#### Absent:

Ryan Spinella, City of Longwood Bilal Iftikhar, City of Sanford Page 1 of 3 Mosquito Control Advisory Board Meeting 2) Approval of the Agenda

Motion to approve agenda by Hill and seconded by Peluso. 6 yes, 0 No, 0 abstain, 2 absent. **Motion** passed.

3) Approval of the Minutes

Motion to approve minutes of February 14, 2008 by Dovan and seconded by Hill. 6 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain, 2 absent. **Motion passed**.

# 4) Old Business

# i) Response Plans

(1) Arbo-Virus Response Plan

Karl Henry, Seminole County Health Department, will continue to work with the Program Manager in producing the Arbo-Virus Response Plan for the County. Henry stated that the Sentinel Chicken Surveillance sites will remain the same, except for the site at Animal Services which will move to Oviedo. Spencer offered to provide sites in Casselberry, Horvath states that we are committed to the sites this year, but will reevaluate next year. Horvath will provide the Cities a map of all sites.

(2) Hurricane Response

The County is still in the process of working on a Hurricane Response Plan. Horvath stated that a combination of City and State plans may be completed before May 2008.

ii) Mosquito Control Code

The Mosquito Control Code has not gone to the County Attorney yet.

iii) Consolidated Program Outlook

The consolidation is going well; the County needs help locating sites in Winter Springs. Hill states that the pond at Sybilwood Circle and Trotwood Blvd. is one that is regularly treated. The Cities will keep aldulticiding and provide the information to the County. Winter Springs is receiving trap counts as of March, once a week. Hill will remind Clarke to copy the County on this information.

### 5) New Business

### i) Treatment Area

The County will provide the Cities with the updated treatment areas and will email MSDS on chemicals to Cities. The County is working on having all MSDS information available on their website. Horvath stated that he needs information on the Cities chemicals.

ii) What do the Cities need from the County regarding mosquito control?

Hill stated that Winter Springs is in the process of completing their inventory; the Leco fogger that was loaned to the County is still on the City of Winter Springs' inventory and they may need to have someone take a look at it once in a while.

Insley had inquired as to the County's budget, and stated the City of Altamonte Springs has reduced its mosquito control budget by approximately \$30,000. Horvath stated that the County has paperwork in for a State approved budget. Horvath stated that the program is still on schedule, with the adulticiding being phased-in the summer of 2010. Horvath stated that any equipment donated may lessen the chances of supplemental spraying, but the Cities need foggers while the County phases in the Program. The phase-in timeline will not be sped up by donating sprayers.

Peluso stated that a scheduled meeting after all mapping completed would be helpful, and that they have no GIS support, so whatever the County could put on their website would be helpful. Horvath stated that he is working on that, and it should be competed in about a month or two.

## Adjournment

Horvath adjourned the meeting at 11:00 A.M.

Next Regular Meeting: April 17, 2008, at 10:00 A.M. (Extended to April 17, 2008 10AM via email)

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Horvath, Edward

Sent:

Friday, March 14, 2008 4:05 PM

To:

Alan Hill; Dave Dovan; karl\_henry@doh.state.fl.us; Mike Insley; Ryan Spinella; PW -

Streets and Stormwater Supint. (S. Spencer); Peluso, Vincent; IFTIKHAR, BILAL

Cc:

Holt, Sharyn

Subject: Door Hangers

We talked about the Cities using our door hangers as needed in their respected Cities.

After the meeting, I realized that by having the Cities post our notices, we would be eliminating the most important part of the Consolidated Program; having the complaints come to the County, the County inspect and provide the City with the results.

For this reason, the Cities should not be posting door hangers. If there is a concern, the address and concern should be forwarded to the Mosquito Control office for inspection. We will then forward the WO to your office as normal. I want to make sure that we are all following this same procedure. By doing this, we prevent any duplicate inspections along with treatments in order to be more efficient.

Thanks and have a great weekend! ESH

Edward S. Horvath Mosquito Control Program Manager (407) 665-5568 Seminole County Mosquito Control